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In re application of:  
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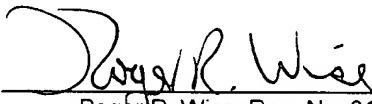
Filed: June 29, 2001

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A PASSIVE  
NETWORK-BASED INTERNET ADDRESS CACHING  
SYSTEM**

Art Unit: 2185

Examiner: Not yet assigned

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

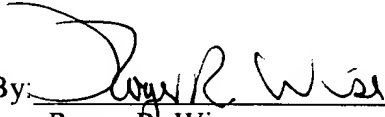
In accordance with Rule 136, Applicant hereby respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time extending to November 22, 2001, the period for response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" dated August 22, 2001, response to which was originally due October 22, 2001. A check in the amount of \$110.00 and the responsive paper(s) are attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in payment or credit any overpayment in connection with this matter to our Deposit Account No. 03-3975. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 29, 2001

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